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## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS AUSTIN DIVISION

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V. § CRIM. NO. 1:22-CR-053-LY

§ FRANKLIN BARRETT SECHRIEST §

## **ORDER ON DETERMINATION OF COMPETENCY**

Before the court is the above styled and numbered cause. On July 26, 2022, the court conducted a hearing, at which Defendant Franklin Barrett Sechriest appeared in person and all parties were represented by counsel, to determine if Defendant was mentally competent to stand trial. *See* 18 U.S.C. §§ 4241, 4247(d). Before the hearing, Defendant and his counsel, as well as counsel for the United States of America, reviewed the Forensic Evaluation Report of Just Rigsbee Ph.D., Psy. D. dated May 13, 2022, conducted at the Federal Correctional Institution, in Butner, North Carolina, ("Report"). No party objected to the Report and no party presented additional evidence, although given an opportunity to do so.

After reviewing the Report and considering the representations of counsel, the court is of the opinion and **FINDS** by a preponderance of the evidence that Defendant is mentally competent to stand trial and assist his counsel at the present time.

SIGNED this day of July, 2022.

LEETYEAKEL UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE